Einblatt! February 2011

Calendar

Sat, Feb 5, 2PM. Minn-StF Meeting. Irene & Scott Raun's, 3928 11th Ave S, Mpls. Dogs, smoking outside. FFI: 612-822-0451, graun@fireopal.org, realitychallenged@fireopal.org

Sun, Feb 13, 12N. MnSpec: Readings by members. Lunds Community Room, 1450 W Lake, Mpls.

Sun, Feb 13, 2-5PM. Ladies Sewing Circle. Margo Bratton's, 4736 Pleasant Ave S, Mpls. Cats. FFI: 612-825-6549

Sat, Feb 19, 2PM. Minn-StF Pool Party & First Board Nominations. Sheraton Bloomington, 2nd Floor Cabana.

Thurs, Feb 24, 11:59PM. Einblatt! Deadline

Advance Warning
Minn-StF Meeting & 2nd Board Nominations, Mar 12, Beth Friedman's. Minn-StF Voting Meeting, Mar 26, Dreampark

Announcements
Charles Stross will be unable to attend Minicon 46 due to family medical issues. John Scalzi has graciously agreed to fill in for him.

Thanks to recent meeting hosts: Doug Wickstrom, Erin McKee & David Wilford, Marian Turner, Irene & Scott Raun, Dean Gahlon & Laura Krentz, Linda Lounsbury, Kat & Ralph Krantz, Hershey Lima & Rachel Kronick, Bill Christ, Matt+Kelly Strait, Sharon Kahn & Richard Tatge, Beth Friedman.

Subscription expiration dates for the Dead Tree Edition are printed above your name.

Birthdays:

Publishing News:
Holly Day of Minneapolis had a poem, "Rabbit," in the June 2010 issue of Australian horror magazine Midnight Echo.

"The Whirlwind" by sometime-local Jim Young is in the Jan/Feb 2011 Magazine of F&SF


Kij Johnson will be an instructor at this summer’s Clarion workshop in San Diego


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Through His Head (ed. Tim Lider, Dybouk Press tp, 2010)


The 2010 Locus "Recommended Readings" list includes these by locals and ex-locals: Cryoburn by Lois McMaster Bujold (science fiction novels); Instructions by Neil Gaiman and Charles Vess (art books); "Mammoths of the Great Plains" by Eleanor Arnason (novellas); "The Truth is a Cave in the Black Mountains" by Gaiman (novelettes); "The Thing About Cassandra" by Gaiman and "Names for Water" by Kij Johnson (short stories).


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hc=hardcover. tp=trade paperback
nf=nonfiction. coll=collection.
anth=anthology. r=reissue

Conventions


$30 Adult, $15 Child to Jan 1st. FFI: [http://www.conquestkc.org/](http://www.conquestkc.org/)


**Ongoing Information**

Board of Directors: Seven (Jennifer) Anderson, Eric Forste, Dean Gahlon, Betsy Lundsten & Scott Raun - [board@mnstf.org](mailto:board@mnstf.org).

Mn-STF meetings are held the 1st and 3rd Saturday every month, for Board meetings check the minutes that are posted at [mnstf.org/records/board-minutes/](http://mnstf.org/records/board-minutes/).


Gamesday Players: Board & card gaming almost every Friday evening. FFI: Richard Tatge at 612-827-3228.

Filk Circle: open to all who like to participate in music with f/sf lyrics. 4th Saturday at 5pm. FFI: Rich Brown, 651-646-2159, [rab@freemars.com](mailto:rab@freemars.com)

**PRINT FANDOM LIVES!** Stipple-Apa is a healthy general-interest publication with members in five countries. Local collations are every six weeks. Chat with fellow fans the classic way. FFI: Jeanne Mealy, 651-771-7226

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